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DAHLIAS

WHOLESALE LIST

To the Trade Only



CERTIFIED DAHLIAS

Our Dahlia stock was inspected by both U. S.
and N. Y. State Inspectors, and is Certified
to be free from all Insects and Diseases.

Locust Valley Dahlia Farm

WM. A. FINGER, JR., Manager

LOCUST VALLEY [LONG ISLAND] NEW YORK

10 AT 100 RATE

TERMS TO THE TRADE

Cash with order for immediate shipment. 25% with orders for future delivery, balance C. O. D.

Prices quoted are (per 100) selected divisions showing eyes or sprouts, 25 at 100 rate, less than 25 add 20% to 100 rate prices. On orders of 300 and more of a variety deduct 10% from 100 rate prices.

Stock listed is strictly of our own growing for the trade and is not to be compared to surplus stock.

We ship out only selected A. No. 1 divisions, which can be resold with the confidence that they will give satisfaction to your customers.

We don't substitute, and if sold out on a variety ordered cheerfully refund your remittance.

We harvested an exceptionally fine crop of bulbs, plump and firm, without signs of stunt or any other disease.

Transportation—All orders forwarded at purchaser's expense and risk and although we take special care in packing against freezing cannot guarantee against damage in transit.

Claims—No claims for rejections or deficiencies will be entertained unless made within ten days after arrival of goods.

GUARANTY. While we exercise the greatest care to have our stock true to label, and hold ourselves prepared to replace, on proper proof, all that may prove untrue, we do not give any warranty expressed or implied and in case of any error on our part, it is mutually agreed between the purchaser and ourselves that we shall not at any time be held responsible for a greater amount than the original price of the stock.



DECORATIVE



| | Per 100 |
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| AIDA—Deep maroon | \$ 5.00 |
| AMITYVILLE—Silver pink | 10.00 |
| AMUN RA—Bronze, gold & amber | 25.00 |
| AUTUMN GLORY—Golden terra cotta | 7.50 |
| AZALEA—Creamy yellow & pink | 10.00 |
| BASHFUL GIANT—Apricot & gold | 35.00 |
| BEATRICE SLOCOMBE—Red, gold & rose | 10.00 |
| BESSIE BOSTON—Deep scarlet | 15.00 |
| CARMENCITA—Yellow striped red | 35.00 |
| CAMBRIA—Light rose pink | 20.00 |
| CHALLENGE—Yellow marked crimson | 7.50 |
| CLAUDIA TICE—Salmon, rose & apricot | 50.00 |
| DAKOTA—Shade of flames | 7.50 |
| DARLENE—Shell pink & white | 5.00 |
| DR. TEVIS—Salmon rose, gold & apricot | 10.00 |
| DELICE—Rose pink | 15.00 |
| DOROTHY ROBBINS—Best large flowering autumn shade dahlia for high class florists' trade in cultivation. Color slightly darker than King of the Autumn. A seedling of same that always has perfect double blooms. Known in N. Y. City by Fifth Avenue Florists as Finger's Double King of the Autumn. No dahlia collections are complete without this sterling variety | 25.00 |
| DUSKY PRINCESS—Dark velvet | 5.00 |
| EDITH WOOSTER—Rosy red & yellow | 10.00 |
| EVERETT WRIGHT—Dark salmon color spotted & mottled red | 50.00 |
| FRATERNITY—Delicate buff | 7.50 |

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| FLORENCE FINGER—Giant deep bloom of dark rose. In the N. Y. City flower market this dahlia is considered the BEST DARK PINK DAHLIA for reason of its strong straight stem, large size, good keeping qualities and wonderful color. Were we to grow only one dahlia, this would be the one | 10.00 |
| FOREST LOMA—Cerise pink & canary yellow | 5.00 |
| FRANK WALKER—Lavender pink | 5.00 |
| FUTURITY—Salmon rose & pink | 25.00 |
| GLORY OF NEW HAVEN—Lavender pink | 10.00 |
| GRIZZLY—Dark maroon | 25.00 |
| HATTIE FINGER—Deep dark rose pink | 25.00 |
| HARVARD—Crimson red | 10.00 |
| HOPE MODDLE—Dark buff & yellow | 10.00 |
| HORTULANUS FIET—Salmon pink & rose | 25.00 |
| HOWARD WRIGHT—Light pink | 10.00 |
| JANE SELBY—Mauve pink | 10.00 |
| JENE CHARMENT—Lilac pink with lighter center | 10.00 |
| JERSEY'S BEAUTY—The finest true pink dahlia | 50.00 |
| JOHN LEWIS CHILDS—Variegated yellow & scarlet | 10.00 |
| JUDGE MAREAN—Orange yellow & gold | 50.00 |
| KING OF COMMERCE—Tango & gold | 25.00 |

If you are not satisfied, don't hesitate to tell us. We want to make good. To succeed we must have your continued patronage. Our motto will always be SATISFACTION.

For a real better Autumn Shade Decorative Dahlia try Dorothy Robbins. A wonderful lasting cutflower, known by New York Fifth Avenue Florists as FINGER'S DOUBLE KING of the Autumn.

DECORATIVE (Continued)

| | Per 100 |
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| LE GRAND MANITOU —White & purple variegated | 10.00 |
| MARCELLA—Seashell pink | 7.50 |
| MILLIONAIRE—Lavender pink | 10.00 |
| MINA BURGLE—Rich dark scarlet | 5.00 |
| MINUTE MAN—Variegated deep orange, shading to yellow center & heavily tipped white | 5.00 |
| MME. LUMIER—White tipped reddish violet | 7.50 |
| MONS. LE NORMAND—Yellow tipped white | 15.00 |
| MRS. ATHERTON—Light yellow | 7.50 |
| MRS. CARL SALBACH—Deep lavender pink | 10.00 |
| MRS. E. R. HEIM—Salmon pink, rose & cream | 10.00 |
| MRS. F. W. SCHEIFF—Golden bronze & orange | 10.00 |
| MRS. I. DE VERE WARNER—Rich mauve pink | 25.00 |
| MRS. NAT. SLOCOMBE—Bright golden yellow | 15.00 |
| MT. HOOD—Pure snow white | 5.00 |
| PATRICK O'MEARA—Orange buff & rose | 25.00 |
| PAUL MICHAEL (Calif. Gold)—Orange buff reverse old rose | 35.00 |
| PERFECT BEAUTY—Scarlet & white | 10.00 |
| PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA—Rich crimson | 10.00 |
| PRINCESS PAT—Old rose color | 25.00 |
| PURPLE MANITOU —Deep violet purple | 5.00 |

| | Per 100 |
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| QUEEN MARY—Delicate Pink | 7.50 |
| | Per 100 |
| RED DEVIL—Carmine red & gold tipped | 25.00 |
| ROSA NELL—Dark rose | 10.00 |
| ROSEMAWR—Rich rose pink | 7.50 |
| SAMPSON—Variegated bronze scarlet & gold | 25.00 |
| SAMMIE—Deep primrose yellow | 5.00 |
| SAN MATEO—Variegated yellow & scarlet | 15.00 |
| SEBASTAPOOL—Deep orange | 5.00 |
| SEABRIGHT—Bright orange | 5.00 |
| SNOWDRIFT—Giant pure white | 25.00 |
| SOUV. DOAZON—Brick red | 7.50 |
| STUNNER—Giant light yellow | 15.00 |
| SULPHURIA —Clear sulphur yellow | 15.00 |
| SUNSHINE—Scarlet & gold | 25.00 |
| SWIFT—Immense sulphur yellow | 10.00 |
| SYLVIA DICKY—Large free blooming of phlox pink color. Most profitable light pink dahlia for florists' use. A gem for garden and large enough for exhibition | 10.00 |
| TERRA COTTA—Terra cotta color | 5.00 |
| THEO. VAIL—Old gold & apricot | 5.00 |
| THE EMPEROR—Giant deep maroon | 10.00 |
| VENUS—White & lavender | 10.00 |
| WHITE SWAN—Florists' favorite white | 5.00 |
| YELLOW COLOSSE—Bright yellow | 7.50 |



CACTUS AND HYBRID CACTUS



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| ATTRACTION—Delicate lavender pink | \$ 15.00 |
| BIANCA—Rose lavender pink | 7.50 |
| BERTHA HORNE—Bronzy yellow & apricot | 7.50 |
| COLOSSAL PEACE—Creamy white & pink | 7.50 |
| CONQUEST—Rich crimson | 10.00 |
| CRYSTAL—Silver pink & white | 10.00 |
| DIANA—Crimson & violet | 5.00 |
| ELEGANT—Salmon & orange | 10.00 |
| ETENARD DE LYON—Carmine rose | 10.00 |
| F. W. FELLOWS—Bright orange | 20.00 |
| GARIBALDI—Brilliant scarlet shading dark-er in center | 25.00 |
| GEE WHIZ—Buff & salmon | 10.00 |
| GEORGE WALTERS—Salmon pink & gold | 15.00 |
| GLADYS SHERWOOD—Pure white | 25.00 |
| GOLDEN GATE—Golden yellow & bronze | 10.00 |
| JEAN CHAZOT (Gay Paree)—Golden bronze suffused red | 25.00 |
| JOHN RIDING—Rich crimson | 10.00 |
| KALIF—Pure scarlet | 25.00 |
| LADY HELEN—Carmine rose & cream | 35.00 |
| MARATHON—Deep rich purple | 7.50 |
| MARGARET BOUCHON—Pink & white center | 15.00 |

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| MELODY—Bright yellow & white | 7.50 |
| MRS. W. E. ESTES—Pure white | 20.00 |
| MRS. EDNA SPENCER—Lavender pink | 15.00 |
| MT. SHASTA—Light shell pink & yellow | 10.00 |
| MRS. WARNAAR—Creamy white & pink | 20.00 |
| NIBLUNGHORT—Old rose & apricot | 20.00 |
| PIRROT—Amber tipped white | 20.00 |
| QUAKER CITY—Primrose yellow | 5.00 |
| RED CROSS—Scarlet & gold | 25.00 |
| RHEINKONIG—Pure white | 7.50 |
| RHEINSHER FROSHIN—White & carmine rose | 15.00 |
| SPRINGFIELD—Amaranthine red | 15.00 |
| THE LION—Bronzy rose & salmon | 7.50 |
| U. S. A.—Orange buff | 50.00 |
| WAR DANCE—Scarlet & gold | 7.50 |
| WOLFGANG VON GOETHE—Apricot & carmine | 10.00 |
| WODAN—Salmon rose | 15.00 |
| YELLOW PRINCE —Bright yellow | 15.00 |

Our Dahlias are unpropagated and are grown from roots, not cuttings, so are free from weakness or disease.



PEONY AND PEONY DECORATIVE



| | Per 100 |
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| ADMIRAL DEWEY—Bronzy yellow & red..... | 7.50 |
| AURORE—Deep rich bronzy orange | 7.50 |
| BILLIONAIRE—Golden orange | 10.00 |
| GEISHA—Scarlet & gold | 25.00 |
| GENERAL CUSTER—Yellow, white & coral red | 7.50 |
| HOLMAN HUNT—Deep crimson shaded ma- roon | 5.00 |
| KING OF THE AUTUMN—Autumn shades.... | 25.00 |

| | Per 100 |
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| LORD MILNER—Creamy yellow gold & crim- son | 7.50 |
| MEYERBEER—Fascinating purple | 15.00 |
| MRS. JESSIE SEAL—Old rose & golden sheen | 20.00 |
| MRS. JOHN BRAY—Variegated white & ma- roon | 15.00 |
| OREGON BEAUTY—Bright scarlet | 5.00 |
| PRIDE OF PORTLAND—Brighter Geisha col- ors | 15.00 |
| WASCO BEAUTY—Pretty Geisha colors | 15.00 |



SHOW OR BALL TYPE



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| A. D. LIVONIA—Delicate shell pink | \$ 5.00 |
| AMERICAN BEAUTY—Deep wine crimson.... | 10.00 |
| AMERICAN FLAG—Variegated red & white.... | 5.00 |
| ELM CITY—Bronzy yellow, amber & red..... | 10.00 |
| ELSIE BURGESS—White, lavender & rose pink | 8.00 |
| GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY—Buttercup yellow & orange | 15.00 |
| HELEN HOLLIS—Scarlet red | 12.00 |
| J. K. ALEXANDER—Violet purple | 15.00 |
| LONG ISLAND SUNRISE—Scarlet & gold.... | 50.00 |
| Selected Sport of Gold Medal. | |

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| MAUDE ADAMS—White & clear pink..... | 5.00 |
| MARY BOWMAN—Golden yellow tinged ma- genta | 5.00 |
| MRS. J. P. SMITH—Rich cherry red | 5.00 |
| NORMA—Bright orange buff | 7.50 |
| POLLY UPHAM—Beautiful pink shades | 5.00 |

Note—We don't substitute if sold out on variety ordered; will cheerfully return remittance.

All Dahlias listed in this catalogue have proven their merits everywhere.

Surprise Collections.

Named Dahlias.

SELECTED A-1 DIVISIONS

Our selection of choice high class and standard cutting varieties where we have a surplus of. Regular list prices not taken into consideration. This is positively the biggest bargain ever offered in the Dahlia line.

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| 100 selected divisions of 20 varieties, 5 of each | \$ 7.50 |
| 200 " " " " " 10 " " | 12.00 |
| 1,000 " " " " " 50 " " | 50.00 |

Collections of 300 and over made up as above at 1,000 rate.

Why waste your time and ground growing unnamed Dahlia collections which can only be sold at junk prices.

Surprise Collections.

True to Name.

Remember Named Dahlias always have a standard market value as tubers and flowers can be sold at any time and anywhere at a profit.

Note—Our Surprise Collections of named Dahlias offered above is a real bonafide investment for any one connected with the trade and not to be compared in any manner to the unnamed collections generally offered to the trade under color, or as mixed in handling.

For Retail Store Trade and Retail Collections this Surprise Collection cannot be equaled for it means Big value for little money which in turn means satisfied future customers.